

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

DANIEL BURGESS, }
Plaintiff(s), } Case No. 2:15-cv-01828-JCM-NJK
vs. } ORDER
CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT, et al., } (Docket No. 20)
Defendant(s). }

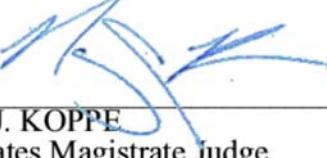
Pending before the Court is a discovery plan proposing a discovery period of 329 days. *See* Docket No. 20 at 2.¹ The presumptively reasonable discovery period is 180 days. *See* Local Rule 26-1(e)(1). The parties have failed to provide sufficient explanation to allow a discovery period of nearly double the presumptively reasonable timeframe. The only reason provided is that a related arbitration is on-going, and that the arbitration may impact this case. *See* Docket No. 20 at 2. To the extent the parties seek to delay this case based on other proceedings, they must file a request addressing the relevant standards for such relief. *See, e.g., Leyva v. Certified Grocers of Cal., Ltd.*, 593 F.2d 857, 863-64 (9th Cir. 1979)). No showing has been made that the standards are met in this instance.

¹ The discovery period is calculated from the date of the first defendant's appearance, *see Local Rule 26-1(e)(1)*, but the parties calculated their proposed discovery period from the date of their Rule 26(f) conference, *see Docket No. 20 at 2*.

1 For these reasons, the discovery plan is hereby **DENIED**. No later than January 28, 2016, the
2 parties shall file either a discovery plan that complies with the local rules or a proper request to stay this
3 case pending resolution of the arbitration at issue.

4 IT IS SO ORDERED.

5 DATED: January 20, 2016

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7 NANCY J. KOPPE
8 United States Magistrate Judge